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TAGS: PFOR JO KS XF

SUBJ: TALK WITH SOUTH KOREAN VICE FOREIGN MINISTER

LOH SHIN YONG

REF: AMMAN 5338

1. AMBASSADOR MET BRIEFLY AUGUST 15 WITH SOUTH KOREAN  
VICE FOREIGN MINISTER LOH SHIN YONG.

2. SOUTH KOREAN REPORTS HE WAS WELL RECEIVED IN AMMAN  
AND THAT POSITION HERE IS ONE OF SUPPORT FOR ROK AT  
NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE AND UNGA. SOUTH KOREAN TRYING  
TO ENCOURAGE VOTE AGAINST NORTH KOREAN RESOLUTIONS AT  
INTERNATIONAL GATHERINGS, POINTING OUT THAT DENMARK  
AND AUSTRALIA BOTH HAD DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS, AS DOES  
JORDAN, WITH DPRK BUT WOULD VOTE AGAINST NORTH  
KOREAN RESOLUTIONS, I.E. RECOGNITION DID NOT CARFY WITH  
IT DUTY TO SUPPORT POLICIES OF THE DPRK.

JORDANIANS INDICATED THAT THEY WOULD NOT BE "FIRST  
SPEAKERS" FROM REGION AT INTERNATIONAL GATHERINGS ON  
KOREAN ISSUE, BUT WOULD MENTION THEIR VIEWS IN PUBLIC  
DISCUSSIONS AND STATEMENT AND THEIR VIEWS WOULD FAVOR  
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ROK.

3. AMBASSADOR WARNED VICE MINISTER LOH SHIN YONG THAT JORDAN AT MOMENT IN RENAISSANCE OF ITS ARAB TIES, PARTICULARLY WITH SYRIA, AND THESE FACTORS WOULD HELP TO DETERMINE DEGREE TO WHICH THEY COULD BE SUPPORTIVE. IN ADDITION JORDAN NOT LIKELY TO GET OUT AHEAD OF OTHER ARAB MODERATES PARTICULARLY SAUDIS. LOH SHIN YONG CONFIRMED THIS ALSO HIS IMPRESSION AND THAT POSITION OF ROK WAS ROCK SOLID AFTER HIS TALKS WITH KING KHALID.

4. LOH SHIN YONG CONFIRMED ALSO THAT CROWN PRINCE HASSAN WILL VISIT ROK IN OCTOBER AND THAT ROK CONSIDERING INVITING A GOJ MILITARY DELEGATION. NEW ROK AMBASSADOR SANG YONG SOH HAS ARRIVED AND SAT IN ON ONE MEETING.  
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